Survey # WA-I-678
Street Address 38 E. Poplar Street
Town, State Funkstown, Maryland 21734
private _x_, public ____

Approximate date _____C. 1850-1860

Description:

Located on the northwest corner of Poplar and High Streets is this two story, five bay L-shaped brick house. It is constructed entirely with common bond brickwork. The house is essentially Greek Revival in appearance with a symmetrical facade, wide wood lintels over the doors and window and a frieze band. Pairs of brackets on the frieze reflect the influence of the Italianate style. Windows have six over six pane sash. Three dormers with pedimented gables extend from the south slope of the roof. The main entrance is in the center bay and includes a broad transom and sidelights. The house appears to date from the 1850s or early '60s.

In 1877, according to the Atlas map of that year, the owner was G. Kemp.

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MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):

Agricultural-Industrial Transition 1815-1870 A.D.

III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Architectural/Landscape Architecture/Community Planning

IV. Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Village

Historic Function(s) and Use(s):

Domestic/single dwelling

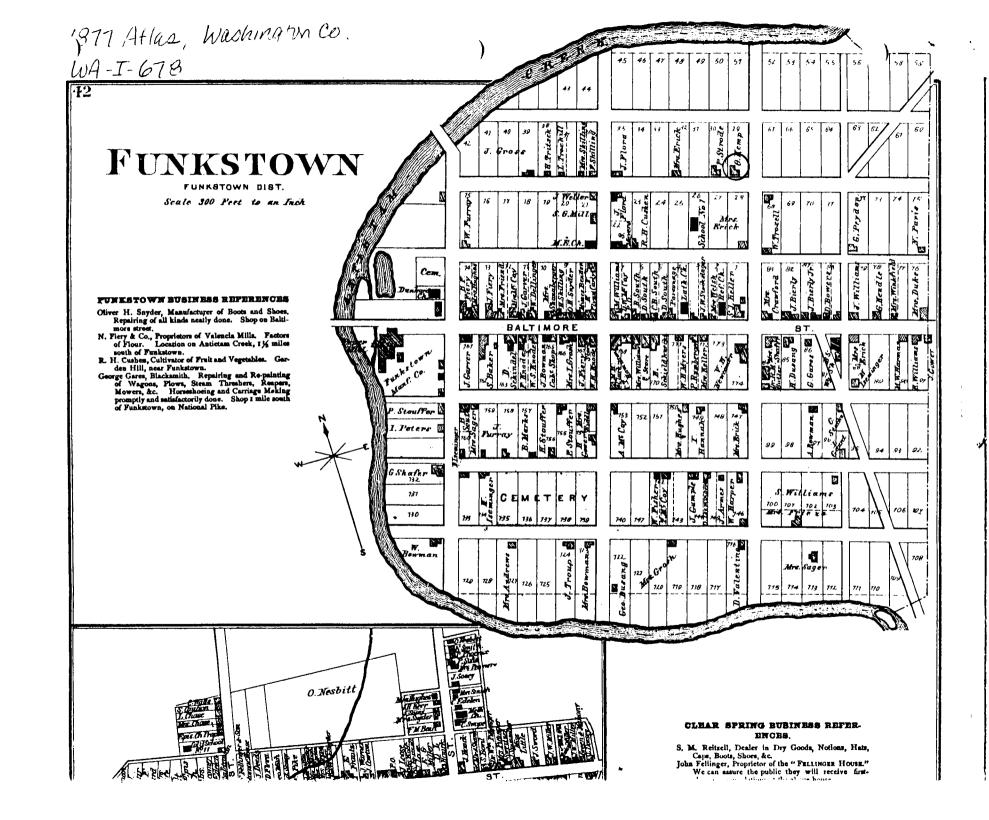
Known Design Source: Greek Revival

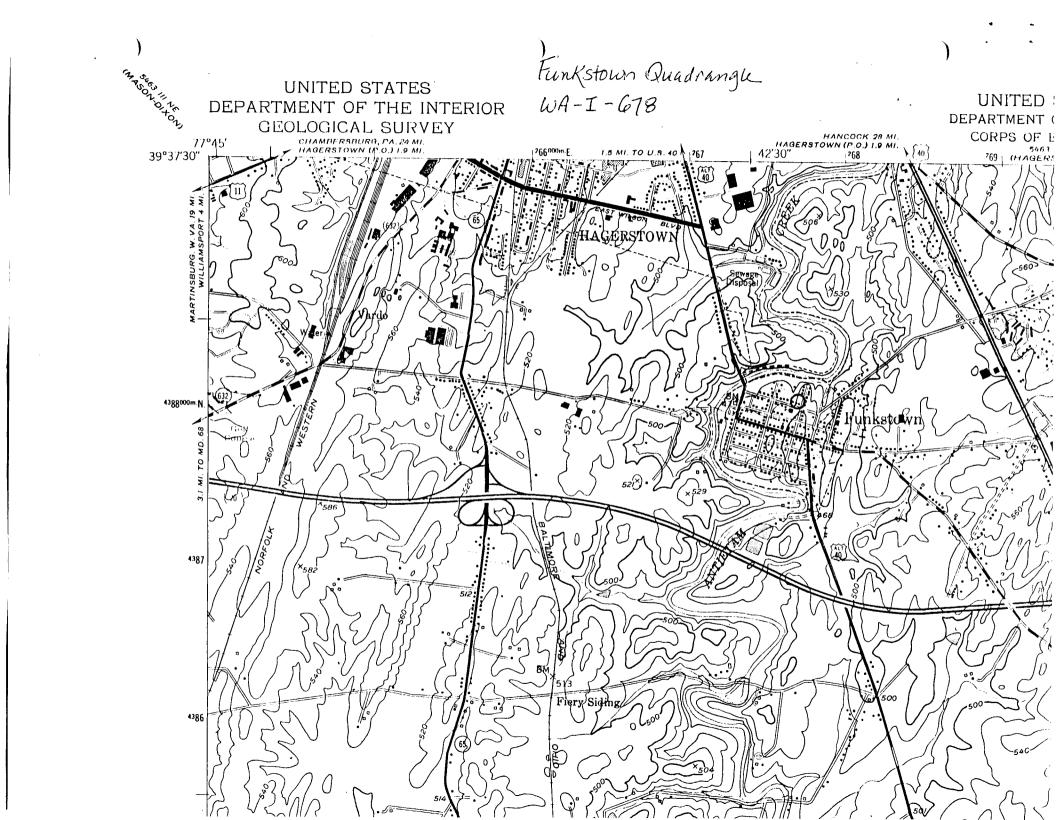
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